# **EXHIBIT K**

## **Concussion Questions:**

### **Eligibility Questions:**

- 1. How do you find out if you are apart of the lawsuit, and if not, can you still join the lawsuit?
- 2. Are testing can only be conducted at the named sites around the country and are there specific dates for having it done? Are there specific times?
- 3. If a retired player has already been qualified to receive benefits under the 88 Plan will be individual need to be retested to qualify to receive a financial reward as part of this settlement?
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- 7. Is there anyway the settlement can be amended to include preseason games?
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- 9. Who, and under what justification, has the legal and moral right to declare that only Former Players with 2 credited seasons have the benefits and legal access to the Settlements rewards ???
- 10. Is it an automatic enrollment in the lawsuit or did you have to sign up? How do you know if you are included lawsuit?
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- 12. How would a dispute that is filed affect those players who have legitimate claims that would qualify and be able to receive payment right now?
- 13. Since this settlement is in a part the result of a class action lawsuit, am I entitled to the same benefits of the claimants?
- 14. Will every player receive some type of a cash benefit as compensation for the concussion-related injuries they received while playing in the NFL. Or, does the settlement cover just those players who file a claim for concussion-related disabilities?
- 15. I played in the NFL for 5 years. During this time ('72 '77) there was no "protocol" for concussions. How does the "settlement" affect my ability recover \$ damages or participate in what's available to a member of the NFL Alumni?

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- a. Is there a monetary award for those who qualify for 1.0
- b. What are the steps to start the qualification process? Examinations, test etc? Who do we contact?
- c. I qualified for NFL neuro cognitive benifit a couple years ago ( mild neuro cognitive benifit)......am I able to use those examination results for part of the documentation to the qualifying committee?
- 17. Are there any deadlines right now that would allow those players that would qualify right now to be paid on a claim without having to wait for any disputes or additional rulings that the court might need to rule on?

### **Medical Qualifications:**

- Does the NFL pay for players MRI, sonograms, etc or doctor visits to a neurologists or other brain doctors to get tested to see if a player has any beginning stages of ALS, dementia, Alzheimer's, etc?
- 2. Is their any monetary (cash) distribution to the players or is it only based on being diagnosed with one of the medical conditions discussed in the pass.
- 3. How would my avum septum pellicidum (CSP) and lower hippocampal volumes reports documented show evidence of my condition and effects be dealt with in the current settlement?
- 4. How will the level of a player's disability related to their CTE be determined? Who has the "burden of proof" regarding the extent of CTE or TBI suffered by the player?
- 5. The earliest diagnosis of my Parkinson's Disease was made in 1994 by my personal physician who is a Board Certified Internal Medicine Physician.
  - a. Will her diagnosis be accepted, along with my neurosurgeons diagnosis of my Parkinson's confirmed at a later date?
- 6. I played OL for seven years in the NFL. I have been tested at University of Michigan Neurological sports center and have sever memory loss and sever depression. I have also had a couple of seizures. I am receiving help at a Metal Health facility and taking many medications. I am not sure what I need to do to get help from the NFL with my health problems? Who do I contact?
- 7. Are players allowed to see specialty neurological doctors of their choice who meet the standards of doctors who may have already be selected to provide services? If so will the cost of required exams and reports be cover with funds from the lawsuit? Suppose there is travel and hotel stays needed will those cost be covered as part of seeing a qualified specialist of our choice? If the answer to my questions are "No"..... please answer why is choosing our own qualified doctor not allowed and how were the doctors chosen and who chose them to be the exclusive providers of service?
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  - c. Will the alum be reimbursed for any expenses they have incurred to date to treat their Parkinson's (or any of the other qualifying dementia disorders)?
  - d. Please confirm this settlement is only for concussion-related injuries, and not other injuries (i.e., bad knees, bad back).
  - e. When can the alum realistically begin receiving the settlement funds?
- 10. What happens to a former player say 62 years of age, who is diagnosed with moderate dementia. Then at 70 years of age he is diagnosed with Parkinson's disease. Will he receive two separate settlements?

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- e. Does the Alumni Association provide assistance for those who opt out of the settlement?
- f. Are their case managers to help us navigate the complicated legal process?
- 12. I've been diagnosed with brain damage( dementia) by a neuropsychologist doctor and treated for related issues, will I have to have baseline testing again?
- 13. I had concussions while playing, I don't currently have major symptoms. Should I be getting a medical exam? If so, where and who do I go see?
- 14. What happens to all of the surgeries a retiree has had over 50 years, all caused by pro ball. Also Alzheimers.

### **POST Settlement Questions:**

- 1. What are the next steps in this settlement? Is there going to be any type of settlement payment? If so, how will it be distributed? Also, what type of time frame are we looking at?
- 2. Will there be educational resources for the retired community?

### **Legality Questions:**

- 1. My Attorney (Firm) is not one of the main attorney's. Am I responsible to pay the attorney or do his fees come from the 112 million allocated to the attorneys
- 2. How long does anyone have to file any dispute to this court approval?
- 3. Their is so much confusion out there, about who opted out, who did not, etc. I just recently saw a list of those that have opted out, is there a list of those that are still in the lawsuit?
  - a. Also, some players have received checks in the amount of \$14,000, I have no idea why they have received these checks, and why weren't we notified of this money. It seems like the communication to the former players is non-existent to some of us.

### **Spousal Questions:**

- 1. As the widow of an NFL lineman who played in the league and demonstrated memory loss and trouble with cognitive thinking am I entitled to any benefits and if so what would they constitute.
- 2. My husband, John Amberg, played for the New York Giants in 1951 and 1952. He died in 2004. During a home game in 1952, he received a concussion, but continued to play out the game. He does not remember playing. Would he be covered under the settlement?

### Retirement:

- 1. Most jobs when you pay into a retirement fund you get the money back when you leave or at some point it is returned to you. Does the NFL follow these rules?
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